

## RESOLUTION NO. 16-R-10

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS OF THE CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$35,450,000, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES; MAKING PROVISION FOR THE ISSUANCE, SALE AND PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS, ESTABLISHING THE TERMS THEREOF AND THE DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS THEREFROM; AND PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL OF, PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Sections 12-10-101, et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, the City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee (the "Municipality") entered into a Loan Agreement, dated November 2, 2010 (the "Loan Agreement"), by and among The Public Building Authority of the City of Clarksville, Tennessee (the "Authority"), the Municipality and First Tennessee Bank National Association (the "Purchaser"), which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2010 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated November 2, 2010 (the "Authority Bond"); and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Loan Agreement, the Authority made a loan to the Municipality for the purpose of funding various public works projects; and

**WHEREAS**, debt service savings will result from the refinancing of the Municipality's Loan Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, under the provisions of Sections 9-21-101 et seq., and 9-21-901 et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, municipalities in Tennessee are authorized through their respective governing bodies to issue and sell bonds to refund, redeem or make principal and interest payments on bonds or other obligations previously issued by said municipalities; and

**WHEREAS**, the plan of refunding has been submitted to the Director of State and Local Finance (the "State Director") as required by Section 9-21-903, Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, and the State Director has acknowledged receipt thereof and reported thereon to the Municipality, which report is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the Municipality (the "Governing Body") hereby determines that it is necessary and advisable to refund all or a portion of the Loan Agreement by the issuance of general obligation refunding bonds; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the intention of the Governing Body to adopt this Resolution for the purpose of authorizing not to exceed \$35,450,000 in aggregate principal amount of its general obligation refunding bonds, providing for the issuance, sale and payment of said bonds, establishing the terms thereof and the disposition of proceeds therefrom and for the levy of a tax for the payment of principal thereof, premium, if any, and interest thereon.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1. Authority.** The bonds authorized by this resolution are issued pursuant to 9-21-101 et seq., and 9-21-901 et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, and other applicable provisions of law.

**SECTION 2. Definitions.** In addition to the terms defined in the preamble above, the following terms shall have the following meanings in this resolution unless the text expressly or by necessary implication requires otherwise:

(a) "Authority" means The Public Building Authority of the City of Clarksville, Tennessee.

(b) "Authority Bond" means the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2010 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated November 2, 2010.

(c) "Bonds" means the not to exceed \$35,450,000 General Obligation Refunding Bonds of the Municipality, to be issued in one or more series and dated their date(s) of issuance, and having such series designation(s) or such other dated date(s) as shall be determined by the Mayor pursuant to Section 8 hereof.

(d) "Book-Entry Form" or "Book-Entry System" means a form or system, as applicable, under which physical bond certificates in fully registered form are issued to a Depository, or to its nominee as Registered Owner, with the certificate of bonds being held by and "immobilized" in the custody of such Depository, and under which records maintained by persons, other than the Municipality or the Registration Agent, constitute the written record that identifies, and records the transfer of, the beneficial "book-entry" interests in those bonds.

(e) "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and all regulations promulgated thereunder.

(f) "Debt Management Policy" means the Debt Management Policy adopted by the Governing Body as required by the State Funding Board of the State of Tennessee.

(g) "Depository" means any securities depository that is a clearing agency under federal laws operating and maintaining, with its participants or otherwise, a Book-Entry System, including, but not limited to, DTC.

(h) "DTC" means The Depository Trust Company, a limited purpose company organized under the laws of the State of New York, and its successors and assigns.

(i) "DTC Participant(s)" means securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies and clearing corporations that have access to the DTC System.

(j) "Financial Advisor" means Cumberland Securities Company, Inc., Knoxville, Tennessee.

(k) "Governing Body" means the City Council of the Municipality.

(l) "Loan Agreement" means the Loan Agreement, dated November 2, 2010, by and among the Authority, the Municipality and the Purchaser, First Tennessee Bank National Association.

(m) "Mayor" shall mean the Mayor of the Municipality.

(n) "Purchaser" means First Tennessee Bank National Association, as the Purchaser of the Authority Bond.

(o) "Refunded Loan Agreement" means the designated annual payments or portions of thereof of the Loan Agreement designated for prepayment pursuant to Section 8 hereof.

(p) "Registration Agent" means the registration and paying agent appointed by the Mayor pursuant to the terms hereof, or any successor designated by the Governing Body.

SECTION 3. Findings of the Governing Body; Compliance with Debt Management Policy. The Governing Body hereby finds that the issuance and sale of the Bonds, as proposed herein, is consistent with the Municipality's Debt Management Policy. Approximate debt service is attached hereto as Exhibit B, subject to change by the Mayor, as permitted by Section 8 hereof.

#### SECTION 4. Authorization and Terms of the Bonds.

(a) For the purpose of providing funds to prepay, in whole or in part, the Loan Agreement, including accrued interest and premium, and in turn, the Authority Bond, and payment of costs incident to the issuance and sale of the Bonds, there is hereby authorized to be issued general obligation refunding bonds of the Municipality in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$35,450,000. The Bonds shall be issued in one or more series, as fully registered certificated Bonds or in fully registered, book-entry form, without coupons, and subject to the adjustments permitted hereunder, shall be known as "General Obligation Refunding Bonds", shall be dated their date(s) of issuance, and shall have such series designation(s) or such other dated date(s) as shall be determined by the Mayor pursuant to the terms hereof. The Bonds, or any series thereof, shall bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed the maximum rate permitted by applicable Tennessee law at the time of issuance of the Bonds, payable (subject to the adjustments permitted hereunder) semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 in each year, commencing December 1, 2016. The Bonds shall be issued initially in \$5,000 denominations or integral multiples thereof, as shall be requested by the original purchaser thereof, or such other denominations as shall be directed by the Mayor. Subject to the adjustments permitted pursuant to the terms hereof, the Bonds shall mature serially or be subject to mandatory redemption and shall be payable on December 1 of each year, subject to prior optional redemption as hereinafter provided, in the years 2016 through 2025, inclusive. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a preliminary debt service estimate of the amortization of the Bonds provided, however, such amortization may be adjusted in accordance with the terms hereof.

(b) Subject to the adjustments permitted under Section 8 hereof, the Bonds may be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Municipality on December 1, 2023 and thereafter, as a whole or in part at any time at the redemption price of par plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

If less than all the Bonds shall be called for redemption, the maturities to be redeemed shall be selected by the Governing Body in its discretion. If less than all of the Bonds within a single maturity shall be called for redemption, the interests within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected as follows:

(i) if the Bonds are being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds to be redeemed shall be determined by DTC, or such successor Depository, by lot or such other manner as DTC, or such successor Depository, shall determine; or

(ii) if the Bonds are not being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected by the Registration Agent by lot or such other random manner as the Registration Agent in its discretion shall determine.

(c) Pursuant to the terms hereof, the Mayor is authorized to sell the Bonds, or any maturities thereof, as term bonds ("Term Bonds") with mandatory redemption requirements corresponding to the maturities set forth herein or as determined by the Mayor. In the event any or all the Bonds are sold as Term Bonds, the Municipality shall redeem Term Bonds on redemption dates corresponding to the maturity dates set forth herein, in aggregate principal amounts equal to the maturity amounts established pursuant to the terms hereof for each redemption date, as such maturity amounts may be adjusted pursuant to the terms hereof, at a price of par plus accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption. The Term Bonds to be redeemed within a single maturity shall be selected as follows:

If less than all of the Bonds within a single maturity shall be called for redemption, the interests within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected as follows:

(i) if the Bonds are being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds to be redeemed shall be determined by DTC,

or such successor Depository, by lot or such other manner as DTC, or such successor Depository, shall determine; or

(ii) if the Bonds are not being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected by the Registration Agent by lot or such other random manner as the Registration Agent in its discretion shall determine.

At its option, to be exercised on or before the forty-fifth (45<sup>th</sup>) day next preceding any such mandatory redemption date, the Municipality may (i) deliver to the Registration Agent for cancellation Bonds to be redeemed, in any aggregate principal amount desired, and/or (ii) receive a credit in respect of its redemption obligation under this mandatory redemption provision for any Bonds of the maturity to be redeemed which prior to said date have been purchased or redeemed (otherwise than through the operation of this mandatory sinking fund redemption provision) and cancelled by the Registration Agent and not theretofore applied as a credit against any redemption obligation under this mandatory sinking fund provision. Each Bond so delivered or previously purchased or redeemed shall be credited by the Registration Agent at 100% of the principal amount thereof on the obligation of the Municipality on such payment date and any excess shall be credited on future redemption obligations in chronological order, and the principal amount of Bonds to be redeemed by operation of this mandatory sinking fund provision shall be accordingly reduced. The Municipality shall on or before the forty-fifth (45<sup>th</sup>) day next preceding each payment date furnish the Registration Agent with its certificate indicating whether or not and to what extent the provisions of clauses (i) and (ii) of this subsection are to be availed of with respect to such payment and confirm that funds for the balance of the next succeeding prescribed payment will be paid on or before the next succeeding payment date.

(d) Notice of any call for redemption shall be given by the Registration Agent on behalf of the Municipality not less than twenty (20) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the date fixed for redemption by sending an appropriate notice to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, at the addresses shown on the Bond registration records of the Registration Agent as of the date of the notice; but neither failure to mail such notice nor any defect in any such notice so mailed shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for redemption of any of the Bonds for which proper notice was given. The optional redemption notice may state that it is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys in an amount equal to the amount necessary to affect the redemption with the Registration Agent no later than the redemption date ("Conditional Redemption"). The notice may state that it is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys in an amount equal to the amount necessary to affect the redemption with the Registration Agent no later than the redemption date ("Conditional Redemption"). If DTC, or a successor Depository, is the registered owner of the Bonds, all redemption notices shall be mailed by the Registration Agent to DTC, or such successor Depository, as the registered owner of the Bonds, as and when above provided, and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be responsible for mailing notices of redemption to DTC Participants or Beneficial Owners. Failure of DTC, or any successor Depository, to provide notice to any DTC Participant or Beneficial Owner will not affect the validity of such redemption. The Registration Agent shall mail said notices as and when directed by the Municipality pursuant to written instructions from an authorized representative of the Municipality (other than for a mandatory sinking fund redemption, notices of which shall be given on the dates provided herein) given at least forty-five (45) days prior to the redemption date (unless a shorter notice period shall be satisfactory to the Registration Agent). From and after the redemption date, all Bonds called for redemption shall cease to bear interest if funds are available at the office of the Registration Agent for the payment thereof and if notice has been duly provided as set forth herein. In the case of a Conditional Redemption, the failure of the Municipality to make funds available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default, and the Registration Agent shall give immediate notice to the Depository, if applicable, or the affected Bondholders that the redemption did not occur and that the Bonds called for redemption and not so paid remain outstanding. In the case of a Conditional Redemption, the failure of the Municipality to make funds available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default, and the Registration Agent shall

give immediate notice to the Depository or the affected Bondholders that the redemption did not occur and that the Bonds called for redemption and not so paid remain outstanding.

(e) The Governing Body hereby authorizes and directs the Mayor to appoint the Registration Agent for the Bonds and hereby authorizes the Registration Agent so appointed to maintain Bond registration records with respect to the Bonds, to authenticate and deliver the Bonds as provided herein, either at original issuance or upon transfer, to effect transfers of the Bonds, to give all notices of redemption as required herein, to make all payments of principal and interest with respect to the Bonds as provided herein, to cancel and destroy Bonds which have been paid at maturity or upon earlier redemption or submitted for exchange or transfer, to furnish the Municipality at least annually a certificate of destruction with respect to Bonds cancelled and destroyed, and to furnish the Municipality at least annually an audit confirmation of Bonds paid, Bonds outstanding and payments made with respect to interest on the Bonds. The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute and the City Recorder is hereby authorized to attest such written agreement between the Municipality and the Registration Agent as they shall deem necessary and proper with respect to the obligations, duties and rights of the Registration Agent. The payment of all reasonable fees and expenses of the Registration Agent for the discharge of its duties and obligations hereunder or under any such agreement is hereby authorized and directed.

(f) The Bonds shall be payable, both principal and interest, in lawful money of the United States of America at the designated office of the Registration Agent. The Registration Agent shall make all interest payments with respect to the Bonds by check or draft on each interest payment date directly to the registered owners as shown on the Bond registration records maintained by the Registration Agent as of the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding the interest payment date (the "Regular Record Date") by depositing said payment in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to such owners at their addresses shown on said Bond registration records, without, except for final payment, the presentation or surrender of such registered Bonds, and all such payments shall discharge the obligations of the Municipality in respect of such Bonds to the extent of the payments so made. Payment of principal of and premium, if any, on the Bonds shall be made upon presentation and surrender of such Bonds to the Registration Agent as the same shall become due and payable. All rates of interest specified herein shall be computed on the basis of a three hundred sixty (360) day year composed of twelve (12) months of thirty (30) days each. In the event the Bonds are not registered in the name of DTC, or a successor Depository, if requested by the Owner of at least \$1,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds, payment of interest on such Bonds shall be paid by wire transfer to a bank within the continental United States or deposited to a designated account if such account is maintained with the Registration Agent and written notice of any such election and designated account is given to the Registration Agent prior to the record date.

(g) Any interest on any Bond that is payable but is not punctually paid or duly provided for on any interest payment date (hereinafter "Defaulted Interest") shall forthwith cease to be payable to the registered owner on the relevant Regular Record Date; and, in lieu thereof, such Defaulted Interest shall be paid by the Municipality to the persons in whose names the Bonds are registered at the close of business on a date (the "Special Record Date") for the payment of such Defaulted Interest, which shall be fixed in the following manner: the Municipality shall notify the Registration Agent in writing of the amount of Defaulted Interest proposed to be paid on each Bond and the date of the proposed payment, and at the same time the Municipality shall deposit with the Registration Agent an amount of money equal to the aggregate amount proposed to be paid in respect of such Defaulted Interest or shall make arrangements satisfactory to the Registration Agent for such deposit prior to the date of the proposed payment, such money when deposited to be held in trust for the benefit of the persons entitled to such Defaulted Interest as in this Section provided. Thereupon, not less than ten (10) days after the receipt by the Registration Agent of the notice of the proposed payment, the Registration Agent shall fix a Special Record Date for the payment of such Defaulted Interest which date shall be not more than fifteen (15) nor less than ten (10) days prior to the date of the proposed payment to the registered Owners. The Registration Agent shall

promptly notify the Municipality of such Special Record Date and, in the name and at the expense of the Municipality, not less than ten (10) days prior to such Special Record Date, shall cause notice of the proposed payment of such Defaulted Interest and the Special Record Date therefor to be mailed, first-class postage prepaid, to each registered owner at the address thereof as it appears in the Bond registration records maintained by the Registration Agent as of the date of such notice. Nothing contained in this Section or in the Bonds shall impair any statutory or other rights in law or in equity of any registered owner arising as a result of the failure of the Municipality to punctually pay or duly provide for the payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds when due.

(h) The Bonds are transferable only by presentation to the Registration Agent by the registered owner, or his legal representative duly authorized in writing, of the registered Bond(s) to be transferred with the form of assignment on the reverse side thereof completed in full and signed with the name of the registered owner as it appears upon the face of the Bond(s) accompanied by appropriate documentation necessary to prove the legal capacity of any legal representative of the registered owner. Upon receipt of the Bond(s) in such form and with such documentation, if any, the Registration Agent shall issue a new Bond or the Bond to the assignee(s) in denominations, or integral multiples thereof, as authorized hereunder and as requested by the registered owner requesting transfer. The Registration Agent shall not be required to transfer or exchange any Bond during the period commencing on a Regular or Special Record Date and ending on the corresponding interest payment date of such Bond, nor to transfer or exchange any Bond after the publication of notice calling such Bond for redemption has been made, nor to transfer or exchange any Bond during the period following the receipt of instructions from the Municipality to call such Bond for redemption; provided, the Registration Agent, at its option, may make transfers after any of said dates. No charge shall be made to any registered owner for the privilege of transferring any Bond, provided that any transfer tax relating to such transaction shall be paid by the registered owner requesting transfer. The person in whose name any Bond shall be registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary whether or not any payments due on the Bonds shall be overdue. The Bonds, upon surrender to the Registration Agent, may, at the option of the registered owner, be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of the Bonds of the same maturity in any authorized denomination or denominations.

(i) The Bonds shall be executed in such manner as may be prescribed by applicable law, in the name, and on behalf, of the Municipality with the signature of the Mayor and the attestation of the City Recorder.

(j) If the Bonds are issued using a Book-Entry System, the Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, which will act as securities depository for the Bonds. If a Book-Entry System is employed, one Bond for each maturity shall be issued to DTC and immobilized in its custody or a custodian of DTC. A Book-Entry System, if employed, shall evidence ownership of the Bonds in authorized denominations, with transfers of beneficial ownership effected on the records of DTC and the DTC Participants pursuant to rules and procedures established by DTC. Unless the text expressly or by necessary implication requires otherwise, references in this Subsection to a Bond or the Bonds shall be construed to mean the Bond or the Bonds that are held under the Book-Entry System.

Each DTC Participant shall be credited in the records of DTC with the amount of such DTC Participant's interest in the Bonds. Beneficial ownership interests in the Bonds may be purchased by or through DTC Participants. The holders of these beneficial ownership interests are hereinafter referred to as the "Beneficial Owners." The Beneficial Owners shall not receive the Bonds representing their beneficial ownership interests. The ownership interests of each Beneficial Owner shall be recorded through the records of the DTC Participant from which such Beneficial Owner purchased its Bonds. Transfers of ownership interests in the Bonds shall be accomplished by book entries made by DTC and, in turn, by DTC Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. SO LONG AS CEDE & CO., AS NOMINEE FOR DTC, IS THE REGISTERED OWNER OF THE BONDS, THE REGISTRATION AGENT SHALL TREAT CEDE & CO. AS THE ONLY



HOLDER OF THE BONDS FOR ALL PURPOSES UNDER THIS RESOLUTION, INCLUDING RECEIPT OF ALL PRINCIPAL OF, PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS, RECEIPT OF NOTICES, VOTING AND REQUESTING OR DIRECTING THE REGISTRATION AGENT TO TAKE OR NOT TO TAKE, OR CONSENTING TO, CERTAIN ACTIONS UNDER THIS RESOLUTION.

Payments of principal, interest, and redemption premium, if any, with respect to the Bonds, so long as DTC is the only owner of the Bonds, shall be paid by the Registration Agent directly to DTC or its nominee, Cede & Co., as provided in the Letter of Representation relating to the Bonds from the Municipality and the Registration Agent to DTC (the "Letter of Representation"). DTC shall remit such payments to DTC Participants, and such payments thereafter shall be paid by DTC Participants to the Beneficial Owners. The Municipality and the Registration Agent shall not be responsible or liable for payment by DTC or DTC Participants for sending transaction statements or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing records maintained by DTC or DTC Participants.

In the event that the Bonds are issued through a Book-Entry System and (1) DTC determines not to continue to act as securities depository for the Bonds, or (2) the Municipality determines that the continuation of the Book-Entry System of evidence and transfer of ownership of the Bonds would adversely affect their interests or the interests of the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, then the Municipality shall discontinue the Book-Entry System with DTC or, upon request of such original purchaser, deliver the Bonds to the original purchaser in the form of fully-registered Bonds, as the case may be. If the Municipality fails to identify another qualified securities depository to replace DTC, the Municipality shall cause the Registration Agent to authenticate and deliver replacement Bonds in the form of fully-registered Bonds to each Beneficial Owner.

THE MUNICIPALITY AND THE REGISTRATION AGENT SHALL NOT HAVE ANY RESPONSIBILITY OR OBLIGATIONS TO ANY PARTICIPANT OR ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER WITH RESPECT TO (i) THE BONDS; (ii) THE ACCURACY OF ANY RECORDS MAINTAINED BY DTC OR ANY DTC PARTICIPANT; (iii) THE PAYMENT BY DTC OR ANY DTC PARTICIPANT OF ANY AMOUNT DUE TO ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER IN RESPECT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS; (iv) THE DELIVERY OR TIMELINESS OF DELIVERY BY DTC OR ANY DTC PARTICIPANT OF ANY NOTICE DUE TO ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER THAT IS REQUIRED OR PERMITTED UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS RESOLUTION TO BE GIVEN TO BENEFICIAL OWNERS; (v) THE SELECTION OF BENEFICIAL OWNERS TO RECEIVE PAYMENTS IN THE EVENT OF ANY PARTIAL REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS; OR (vi) ANY CONSENT GIVEN OR OTHER ACTION TAKEN BY DTC OR ITS NOMINEE, CEDE & CO., AS OWNER.

(k) If a Book-Entry System is used, the Registration Agent is hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary from time to time to qualify and maintain the Bonds for deposit with DTC, including but not limited to, wire transfers of interest and principal payments with respect to the Bonds, utilization of electronic book entry data received from DTC in place of actual delivery of Bonds and provision of notices with respect to Bonds registered by DTC (or any of its designees identified to the Registration Agent) by overnight delivery, courier service, telegram, telecopy or other similar means of communication. No such arrangements with DTC may adversely affect the interest of any of the owners of the Bonds; provided, however, that the Registration Agent shall not be liable with respect to any such arrangements it may make pursuant to this Section.

(l) If the purchaser(s) certifies that it intends to hold the Bonds for its own account, then the Municipality may issue certificated Bonds registered in the name of the owner without the utilization of DTC and the Book-Entry System.

(m) The Registration Agent is hereby authorized to authenticate and deliver the Bonds to the original purchaser, upon receipt by the Municipality of the proceeds of the sale thereof and to authenticate and deliver Bonds in exchange for Bonds of the same principal amount delivered for transfer upon receipt of the Bond(s) to be transferred in proper form with proper documentation as hereinabove described. The Bonds shall not

be valid for any purpose unless authenticated by the Registration Agent by the manual signature of an officer thereof on the certificate set forth herein on the Bond form.

(n) In case any Bond shall become mutilated, or be lost, stolen, or destroyed, the Municipality, in its discretion, shall issue, and the Registration Agent, upon written direction from the Municipality, shall authenticate and deliver, a new Bond of like tenor, amount, maturity and date, in exchange and substitution for, and upon the cancellation of, the mutilated Bond, or in lieu of and in substitution for such lost, stolen or destroyed Bond, or if any such Bond shall have matured or shall be able to mature, instead of issuing a substituted Bond the Municipality may pay or authorize payment of such Bond without surrender thereof. In every case, the applicant shall furnish evidence satisfactory to the Municipality and the Registration Agent of the destruction, theft or loss of such Bond, and indemnify satisfactory to the Municipality and the Registration Agent; and the Municipality may charge the applicant for the issue of such new Bond an amount sufficient to reimburse the Municipality for the expense incurred by it in the issue thereof.

SECTION 5. Source of Payment. The Bonds shall be payable from and secured by unlimited ad valorem taxes to be levied on all taxable property within the Municipality. For the prompt payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, the full faith and credit of the Municipality are hereby irrevocably pledged.

SECTION 6. Form of Bonds. The Bonds shall be in substantially the following form, the omissions to be appropriate completed when the Bonds are prepared and delivered:

(Form of Bond)

REGISTERED  
Number\_\_\_\_\_

REGISTERED  
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
STATE OF TENNESSEE  
CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE  
GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BOND, SERIES 2016B

Interest Rate:                      Maturity Date:                      Date of Bond:                      CUSIP No.:

Registered Owner:

Principal Amount:

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee (the "Municipality"), a municipal corporation lawfully organized and existing in Rutherford County, Tennessee, hereby promises to pay to the registered owner hereof, hereinabove named, or registered assigns, in the manner hereinafter provided, the principal amount hereinabove set forth on the maturity date hereinabove set forth (or upon earlier redemption as set forth herein), and to pay interest (computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months) on said principal amount at the annual rate interest hereinabove set forth from the date hereof until said maturity date or redemption date, said interest being payable on December 1, 2016, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of June and December in each year until this Bond matures or is redeemed. The principal hereof and interest hereon are payable in lawful money of the United States of America by check or draft at the [designated corporate trust] office of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, as registration and agent and paying agent (the "Registration Agent"). The Registration Agent shall make all interest payments with respect to this Bond on each interest payment date directly to the registered owner hereof shown on the Bond registration records maintained by the Registration Agent as of the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding the interest payment date (the "Regular Record Date") by check or draft mailed to such owner at such owner's address shown on said Bond registration records, without, except for final payment, the presentation or surrender of this Bond, and all such payments shall discharge the obligations of the Municipality to the extent of the payments so made. Any such interest not so punctually



paid or duly provided for on any interest payment date shall forthwith cease to be payable to the registered owner on the relevant Regular Record Date; and, in lieu thereof, such defaulted interest shall be payable to the person in whose name this Bond is registered at the close of business on the date (the "Special Record Date") for payment of such defaulted interest to be fixed by the Registration Agent, notice of which shall be given to the owners of the Bonds of the issue of which this Bond is one not less than ten (10) days prior to such Special Record Date. Payment of principal of [and premium, if any, on] this Bond shall be made when due upon presentation and surrender of this Bond to the Registration Agent.

Except as otherwise provided herein or in the Resolution, as hereinafter defined, this Bond shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), which will act as securities depository for the Bonds of the series of which this Bond is one. One Bond for each maturity of the Bonds shall be issued to DTC and immobilized in its custody. A book-entry system shall be employed, evidencing ownership of the Bonds in \$5,000 denominations, or multiples thereof, with transfers of beneficial ownership effected on the records of DTC and the DTC Participants, as defined in the Resolution, pursuant to rules and procedures established by DTC. So long as Cede & Co., as nominee for DTC, is the registered owner of the Bonds, the Municipality and the Registration Agent shall treat Cede & Co. as the only owner of the Bonds for all purposes under the Resolution, including receipt of all principal and maturity amounts of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, receipt of notices, voting and requesting or taking or not taking, or consenting to, certain actions hereunder. Payments of principal, maturity amounts, interest, and redemption premium, if any, with respect to the Bonds, so long as DTC is the only owner of the Bonds, shall be paid directly to DTC or its nominee, Cede & Co. DTC shall remit such payments to DTC Participants, and such payments thereafter shall be paid by DTC Participants to the Beneficial Owners, as defined in the Resolution. Neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be responsible or liable for payment by DTC or DTC Participants, for sending transaction statements or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing records maintained by DTC or DTC Participants. In the event that (1) DTC determines not to continue to act as securities depository for the Bonds or (2) the Municipality determines that the continuation of the book-entry system of evidence and transfer of ownership of the Bonds would adversely affect its interests or the interests of the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, the Municipality may discontinue the book-entry system with DTC. If the Municipality fails to identify another qualified securities depository to replace DTC, the Municipality shall cause the Registration Agent to authenticate and deliver replacement Bonds in the form of fully-registered Bonds to each Beneficial Owner. Neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall have any responsibility or obligations to DTC Participant or any Beneficial Owner with respect to (i) the Bonds; (ii) the accuracy or any records maintained by DTC or any DTC Participant; (iii) the payment by DTC or any DTC Participant of any amount due to any Beneficial Owner in respect of the principal or maturity amounts of and interest on the Bonds; (iv) the delivery or timeliness of delivery by DTC or any DTC Participant of any notice due to any Beneficial Owner that is required or permitted under the terms of the Resolution to be given to Beneficial Owners; (v) the selection of Beneficial Owners to receive payments in the event of any partial redemption of the Bonds; or (vi) any consent given or other action taken by DTC, or its nominee, Cede & Co., as owner.

[Bonds of the issue of which this Bond is one shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Municipality on December 1, 20\_\_ and thereafter, as a whole or in part at any time at the redemption price of par plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

If less than all the Bonds shall be called for redemption, the maturities to be redeemed shall be designated by the City Council of the Municipality, in its discretion. If less than all the principal amount of the Bonds of a maturity shall be called for redemption, the interests within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected as follows:

- (i) if the Bonds are being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the amount of the interest of each DTC Participant in the Bonds to be redeemed shall be determined by DTC, or such successor Depository,

by lot or such other manner as DTC, or such successor Depository, shall determine; or

(ii) if the Bonds are not being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected by the Registration Agent by lot or such other random manner as the Registration Agent in its discretion shall determine.]

[Subject to the credit hereinafter provided, the Municipality shall redeem Bonds maturing \_\_\_\_\_ on the redemption dates set forth below opposite the maturity dates, in aggregate principal amounts equal to the respective dollar amounts set forth below opposite the respective redemption dates at a price of par plus accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption. DTC, as securities depository for the series of Bonds of which this Bond is one, or such Person as shall then be serving as the securities depository for the Bonds, shall determine the interest of each Participant in the Bonds to be redeemed using its procedures generally in use at that time. If DTC or another securities depository is no longer serving as securities depository for the Bonds, the Bonds to be redeemed within a maturity shall be selected by the Registration Agent by lot or such other random manner as the Registration Agent in its discretion shall select. The dates of redemption and principal amount of Bonds to be redeemed on said dates are as follows:

<u>Final Maturity</u>	<u>Redemption Date</u>	<u>Principal Amount of Bonds Redeemed</u>
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\*Final Maturity

At its option, to be exercised on or before the forty-fifth (45<sup>th</sup>) day next preceding any such redemption date, the Municipality may (i) deliver to the Registration Agent for cancellation Bonds to be redeemed, in any aggregate principal amount desired, and/or (ii) receive a credit in respect of its redemption obligation under this mandatory redemption provision for any Bonds of the maturity to be redeemed which prior to said date have been purchased or redeemed (otherwise than through the operation of this mandatory sinking fund redemption provision) and cancelled by the Registration Agent and not theretofore applied as a credit against any redemption obligation under this mandatory sinking fund provision. Each Bond so delivered or previously purchased or redeemed shall be credited by the Registration Agent at 100% of the principal amount thereof on the obligation of the Municipality on such payment date and any excess shall be credited on future redemption obligations in chronological order, and the principal amount of Bonds to be redeemed by operation of this mandatory sinking fund provision shall be accordingly reduced. The Municipality shall on or before the forty-fifth (45<sup>th</sup>) day next preceding each payment date furnish the Registration Agent with its certificate indicating whether or not and to what extent the provisions of clauses (i) and (ii) of this subsection are to be availed of with respect to such payment and confirm that funds for the balance of the next succeeding prescribed payment will be paid on or before the next succeeding payment date.]

Notice of any call for redemption shall be given by the Registration Agent not less than twenty (20) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the date fixed for redemption by sending an appropriate notice to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, at the addresses shown on the Bond registration records of the Registration Agent as of the date of the notice; but neither failure to mail such notice nor any defect in any such notice so mailed shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for the redemption of any of the Bonds for which proper notice was given. An optional redemption notice may state that it is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys in an amount equal to the amount necessary to affect the redemption with the Registration

Agent no later than the redemption date ("Conditional Redemption"). [As long as DTC, or a successor Depository, is the registered owner of the Bonds, all redemption notices shall be mailed by the Registration Agent to DTC, or such successor Depository, as the registered owner of the Bonds, as and when above provided, and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be responsible for mailing notices of redemption to DTC Participants or Beneficial Owners. Failure of DTC, or any successor Depository, to provide notice to any DTC Participant will not affect the validity of such redemption.] From and after any redemption date, all Bonds called for redemption shall cease to bear interest if funds are available at the office of the Registration Agent for the payment thereof and if notice has been duly provided as set forth in the Resolution, as hereafter defined. In the case of a Conditional Redemption, the failure of the Municipality to make funds available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default, and the Registration Agent shall give immediate notice to the [Depository or the] affected Bondholders that the redemption did not occur and that the Bonds called for redemption and not so paid remain outstanding.

This Bond is transferable by the registered owner hereof in person or by such owner's attorney duly authorized in writing at the [designated corporate trust] office of the Registration Agent set forth on the front side hereof, but only in the manner, subject to limitations and upon payment of the charges provided in the Resolution, as hereafter defined, and upon surrender and cancellation of this Bond. Upon such transfer, a new Bond or Bonds of authorized denominations of the same maturity and interest rate for the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor. The person in whose name this Bond is registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary whether or not any payments due on the Bond shall be overdue. Bonds, upon surrender to the Registration Agent, may, at the option of the registered owner thereof, be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of the Bonds of the same maturity in authorized denomination or denominations, upon the terms set forth in the Resolution. The Registration Agent shall not be required to transfer or exchange any Bond during the period commencing on a Regular Record Date or Special Record Date and ending on the corresponding interest payment date of such Bond, nor to transfer or exchange any Bond after the notice calling such Bond for redemption has been made, nor during a period following the receipt of instructions from the Municipality to call such Bond for redemption.

This Bond is one of a total authorized issue aggregating \$\_\_\_\_\_ and issued by the Municipality to prepay its Loan Agreement, dated November 2, 2010, by and among The Public Building Authority of the City of Clarksville, Tennessee (the "Authority"), the Municipality and First Tennessee Bank National Association, which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2010 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated November 2, 2010 and to pay costs incident to issuing the Bonds, pursuant to 9-21-101 et seq., and 9-21-901, et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by the City Council of the Municipality on May 5, 2016 (the "Resolution").

The Bonds shall be payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes to be levied on all taxable property within the Municipality. For the prompt payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, the full faith and credit of the Municipality are irrevocably pledged.

This Bond and the income therefrom are exempt from all present state, county and municipal taxes in Tennessee except (a) inheritance, transfer and estate taxes, (b) Tennessee excise taxes on interest on the Bond during the period the Bond is held or beneficially owned by any organization or entity, other than a sole proprietorship or general partnership, doing business in the State of Tennessee, and (c) Tennessee franchise taxes by reason of the inclusion of the book value of the Bond in Tennessee franchise tax base of any organization or entity, other than a sole proprietorship or general partnership, doing business in the State of Tennessee.

It is hereby certified, recited, and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond

exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond exist, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this Bond, together with all other indebtedness of the Municipality, does not exceed any limitation prescribed by the constitution and statutes of the State of Tennessee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Municipality has caused this Bond to be signed by its Mayor and attested by its City Recorder under the corporate seal of the Municipality, all as of the date hereinabove set forth.

CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTESTED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Recorder

Transferable and payable at the  
designated corporate trust office of: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Registration: \_\_\_\_\_

This Bond is one of the issue of Bonds issued pursuant to the Resolution hereinabove described.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Registration Agent

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Officer

(FORM OF ASSIGNMENT)

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers unto \_\_\_\_\_, whose address is \_\_\_\_\_ (Please insert Federal Identification or Social Security Number of Assignee \_\_\_\_\_), the within Bond of City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, and does hereby irrevocably constitute and appoint \_\_\_\_\_, attorney, to transfer the said Bond on the records kept for registration thereof with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: The signature to this assignment must correspond with the name of the registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever.

Signature guaranteed:

NOTICE: Signature(s) must be guaranteed  
by a member firm of a Medallion Program  
acceptable to the Registration Agent

SECTION 7. Levy of Tax. The Municipality, through its Governing Body, shall annually levy and collect a tax upon all taxable property within the Municipality, in addition to all other taxes authorized by law, sufficient to pay principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds when due, and for that purpose there is hereby levied a direct annual tax in such amount as may be found necessary each year to pay principal, premium, if any, and interest coming due on the Bonds in said year. Principal, premium, if any, and interest falling due at any time when there are insufficient funds from this tax levy on hand shall be paid from the current funds of the Municipality and reimbursement therefor shall be made out of the taxes hereby provided to the levied when the same shall have been collected. The tax herein provided may be reduced to the extent of any direct appropriations from other funds, taxes and revenues of the Municipality to the payment of debt service on the Bonds.

SECTION 8. Sale of Bonds.

(a) The Bonds shall be offered for competitive public sale in one or more series, at a price of not less than ninety-nine percent (99%) of par, plus accrued interest, as a whole or in part from time to time as shall be determined by the Mayor, in consultation with the Financial Advisor. The Bonds, or any series thereof, shall be sold by delivery of bids via physical delivery, mail, fax, or telephone or by electronic bidding means of an Internet bidding service as shall be determined by the Mayor, in consultation with the Financial Advisor.

(b) If the Bonds are sold in more than one series, the Mayor is authorized to cause to be sold in each series an aggregate principal amount of Bonds less than that shown in Section 4 hereof for each series, so long as the total aggregate principal amount of all series issued does not exceed the total aggregate of Bonds authorized to be issued herein.

(c) The Mayor is further authorized with respect to each series of Bonds to:

(1) change the dated date of the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a date other than the date of issuance of the Bonds;

(2) change the designation of the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a designation other than "General Obligation Refunding Bonds" and to specify the series designation of the Bonds, or any series thereof;

(3) change the first interest payment date on the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a date other than December 1, 2016, provided that such date is not later than twelve months from the dated date of such series of Bonds;

(4) adjust the principal and interest payment dates and the maturity amounts of the Bonds (including, but not limited to establishing the date and year of the first principal payment date), or any series thereof, provided that (A) the total principal amount of all series of the Bonds does not exceed the total amount of Bonds authorized herein; and (B) the final maturity date of each series shall not exceed December 1, 2025.

(5) adjust or remove the Municipality's optional redemption provisions of the Bonds, or any series thereof, provided that the premium amount to be paid on Bonds or any series thereof does not exceed two percent (2%) of the principal amount thereof;

(6) prepay less than all of the Loan Agreement;

(7) sell the Bonds, or any series thereof, or any maturities thereof as Term Bonds with mandatory redemption requirements corresponding to the maturities set forth herein or as otherwise determined by the Mayor, as he shall deem most advantageous to the Municipality; and

(8) cause all or a portion of the Bonds to be insured by a bond insurance policy issued by a nationally recognized bond insurance company if such insurance is requested and paid for by the winning bidder of the Bonds, or any series thereof.

The form of the Bond set forth in Section 6 hereof shall be conformed to reflect any changes made pursuant to this Section 8 hereof.

(d) The Mayor is authorized to sell the Bonds, or any series thereof, simultaneously with any other bonds or notes authorized by resolution or resolutions of the Governing Body. The Mayor is further authorized to sell the Bonds, or any series thereof, as a single issue of bonds with any other bonds with substantially similar terms authorized by resolution or resolutions of the Governing Body, in one or more series as the Mayor shall deem to be advantageous to the Municipality and in doing so, the Mayor is authorized to change the designation of the Bonds to a designation other than "General Obligation Refunding Bonds"; provided, however, that the total aggregate principal amount of combined bonds to be sold does not exceed the total aggregate principal amount of Bonds authorized by this resolution or bonds authorized by any other resolution or resolutions adopted by the Governing Body.

(e) The Mayor is authorized to award the Bonds, or any series thereof, in each case to the bidder whose bid results in the lowest true interest cost to the Municipality, provided the rate or rates on the Bonds does not exceed the maximum rate prescribed by Section 4 hereof. The award of the Bonds by the Mayor to the lowest bidder shall be binding on the Municipality, and no further action of the Governing Body with respect thereto shall be required. If permitted in the notice of sale for the Bonds, including any series thereof, (i) the successful bidder may request that the Bonds, or any such series thereof, be issued in the form of fully registered certificated Bonds in the name of the successful bidder or as directed by the successful bidder, in lieu of registration using the Book-Entry System, and/or (ii) the successful bidder may assign its right to purchase the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a third party provided, however, that upon such assignment, the successful bidder shall remain obligated to perform all obligations relating to the purchase of the Bonds as the successful bidder, including the delivery of a good faith deposit, if any, the execution of required documents and the payment of the purchase price, if such successful bidder's assignee does not perform any of such obligations.

(f) The Mayor and City Recorder are authorized to cause the Bonds, in fully registered certificated or book-entry form, to be authenticated and delivered by the Registration Agent to the successful bidder and to execute, publish, and deliver all certificates and documents, including an Official Statement and closing certificates, as they shall deem necessary in connection with the sale and delivery of the Bonds. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Financial Advisor, for financial advisory services in connection with the sale of the Bonds and to enter into a contract with Bass, Berry & Sims PLC to serve as bond counsel in connection with the Bonds in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit C.

SECTION 9. Disposition of Bond Proceeds. The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be deposited with the Purchaser and be used to pay the Refunded Loan Agreement and, in turn, the Authority Bond, and the remaining proceeds shall be used to pay costs of issuance of the Bonds, including necessary legal, accounting and fiscal expenses, printing, engraving, advertising and similar expenses, administrative and clerical costs, Registration Agent fees, bond insurance premiums, if any, and other necessary miscellaneous expenses incurred in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds. Notwithstanding the foregoing, costs of issuance of the Bonds may be withheld from the good faith deposit, if any, or purchase price of the Bonds and paid to the Financial Advisor to be used to pay costs of issuance of the Bonds.

SECTION 10. Official Statement. The Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, are hereby authorized and directed to provide for the preparation and distribution of a Preliminary Official Statement describing the Bonds. After bids have been received and the Bonds have been awarded, the Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, shall make such completions, omissions, insertions and changes in any Preliminary Official Statement prepared, as shall be consistent with this resolution and necessary or desirable to complete the Preliminary Official Statement as a final Official Statement for purposes of Rule 15c2-12(e)(3) of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, shall arrange for the delivery to the successful bidder on the Bonds of a reasonable number of copies of the Official Statement within seven business days after the Bonds have been awarded for delivery, by the successful bidder on the Bonds, to each potential investor requesting a copy of the Official Statement and to each person to whom such bidder and members of his bidding group initially sell the Bonds.

The Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, are authorized, on behalf of the Municipality, to deem any Preliminary Official Statement and Official Statement for the Bonds in final form, each to be final as of its date within the meaning of Rule 15c2-12(b)(1), except for the omission in the Preliminary Official Statement of certain pricing and other information allowed to be omitted pursuant to such Rule 15c2-12(b)(1). The distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement in final form shall be conclusive evidence that each has been deemed in final form as of its date by the Municipality except for the omission in the Preliminary Official Statement of such pricing and other information.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section, if the winning bidder or its purchaser or assignee does not intend to reoffer the Bonds, as evidenced by a certificate executed by the winning bidder and/or its purchaser or assignee, then an Official Statement is authorized, but not required, as shall be determined by the Mayor in consultation with the Financial Advisor and Bond Counsel.

SECTION 11. Discharge and Satisfaction of Bonds. If the Municipality shall pay and discharge the indebtedness evidenced by any series of the Bonds in any one or more of the following ways, to wit:

(a) By paying or causing to be paid, by deposit of sufficient funds as and when required with the Registration Agent, the principal of and interest on such Bonds as and when the same become due and payable;

(b) By depositing or causing to be deposited with any trust company or financial institution whose deposits are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or similar federal agency and which has trust powers (an "Agent"; which Agent may be the Registration Agent) in trust or escrow, on or before the date of maturity or redemption, sufficient money or Federal Obligations, as hereafter defined, the principal of and interest on which, when due and payable, will provide sufficient moneys to pay or redeem such Bonds and to pay interest thereon when due until the maturity or redemption date (provided, if such Bonds are to be redeemed prior to maturity thereof, proper notice of such redemption shall have been given or adequate provision shall have been made for the giving of such notice);

(c) By delivering such Bonds to the Registration Agent for cancellation by it;

and if the Municipality shall also pay or cause to be paid all other sums payable hereunder by the Municipality with respect to such Bonds, or make adequate provision therefor, and by resolution of the Governing Body instruct any such Agent to pay amounts when and as required to the Registration Agent for the payment of principal of and interest on such Bonds when due, then and in that case the indebtedness evidenced by such Bonds shall be discharged and satisfied and all covenants, agreements and obligations of the Municipality to the holders of such Bonds shall be fully discharged and satisfied and shall thereupon cease, terminate and become void.



If the Municipality shall pay and discharge the indebtedness evidenced by any of the Bonds in the manner provided in either clause (a) or clause (b) above, then the registered owners thereof shall thereafter be entitled only to payment out of the money or Federal Obligations deposited as aforesaid.

Except as otherwise provided in this Section, neither Federal Obligations nor moneys deposited with the Registration Agent pursuant to this Section nor principal or interest payments on any such Federal Obligations shall be withdrawn or used for any purpose other than, and shall be held in trust for, the payment of the principal and interest on said Bonds; provided that any cash received from such principal or interest payments on such Federal Obligations deposited with the Registration Agent, (A) to the extent such cash will not be required at any time for such purpose, shall be paid over to the Municipality as received by the Registration Agent and (B) to the extent such cash will be required for such purpose at a later date, shall, to the extent practicable, be reinvested in Federal Obligations maturing at times and in amounts sufficient to pay when due the principal and interest to become due on said Bonds on or prior to such redemption date or maturity date thereof, as the case may be, and interest earned from such reinvestments shall be paid over to the Municipality, as received by the Registration Agent. For the purposes of this Section, Federal Obligations shall direct obligations of, or obligations, the principal of and interest on which are guaranteed by, the United States of America, or any agency thereof, obligations of any agency or instrumentality of the United States or any other obligations at the time of the purchase thereof are permitted investments under Tennessee law for the purposes described in this Section, which bonds or other obligations shall not be subject to redemption prior to their maturity other than at the option of the registered owner thereof.

#### SECTION 12. Federal Tax Matters Related to the Bonds.

(a) Except as hereinafter provided, the Bonds will be issued as federally tax-exempt bonds. The Municipality hereby covenants that it will not use, or permit the use of, any proceeds of the Bonds in a manner that would cause the Bonds to be subjected to treatment under Section 148 of the Code, and applicable regulations thereunder, as an "arbitrage bond". To that end, the Municipality shall comply with applicable regulations adopted under said Section 148. The Municipality further covenants with the registered owners from time to time of the Bonds that it will, throughout the term of the Bonds and through the date that the final rebate, if any, must be made to the United States in accordance with Section 148 of the Code, comply with the provisions of Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code and all regulations proposed and promulgated thereunder that must be satisfied in order that interest on the Bonds shall be and continue to be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Code. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Mayor determines, in consultation with the Financial Advisor and Bond Counsel, that a portion of the Projects cannot be refinanced with proceeds of federally tax-exempt bonds pursuant to the requirements of the Code, the Bonds refinancing that portion of the Projects will be issued as federally taxable bonds, and all documents authorized herein shall be conformed accordingly.

(b) The appropriate officers of the Municipality are authorized and directed, on behalf of the Municipality, to execute and deliver all such certificates and documents that may be required of the Municipality in order to comply with the provisions of this Section related to the issuance of the Bonds and to administer the Municipality's Federal Tax Compliance Policies and Procedures with respect to the Bonds.

SECTION 13. Continuing Disclosure. If and as required by Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Commission for the Bonds, the Municipality hereby covenants and agrees that it will provide annual financial information and event notices to the appropriate information repositories. The Mayor is authorized to execute at the Closing of the sale of the Bonds an agreement for the benefit of and enforceable by the owners of the Bonds specifying the details of the financial information and event notices to be provided and its obligations relating thereto. Failure of the Municipality to comply with the undertaking herein described and to be detailed in said closing agreement shall not be a default

hereunder, but any such failure shall entitle the owner or owners of any of the Bonds to take such actions and to initiate such proceedings as shall be necessary and appropriate to cause the Municipality to comply with their undertaking as set forth herein and in said agreement, including the remedies of mandamus and specific performance.

SECTION 14. Prepayment of the Refunded Loan. The Mayor, the City Recorder, and the City Manager, or any of them, are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to (i) prepay the Refunded Loan, in accordance with the terms thereof, including, but not limited to, the execution and delivery of a prepayment notice in accordance with its terms, and (ii) direct the redemption of the Authority Bond.


SECTION 15. Resolution a Contract. The provisions of this resolution shall constitute a contract between the Municipality and the registered owners of the Bonds, and after the issuance of the Bonds, no change, variation or alteration of any kind in the provisions of this resolution shall be made in any manner until such time as the Bonds and interest due thereon shall have been paid in full.

SECTION 16. Separability. If any section, paragraph or provision of this resolution shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this resolution.

SECTION 17. Repeal of Conflicting Resolutions and Effective Date. All other resolutions and orders, or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this resolution, are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed and this resolution shall be in immediate effect from and after its adoption.

Passed: May 5, 2016

  
Shane McFarland, Mayor

ATTEST:  
  
Melissa B. Wright  
City Recorder


APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
  
Craig Tindall  
City Attorney

EXHIBIT A

STATE REPORT ON PLAN OF REFUNDING

EXHIBIT B

ESTIMATED DEBT SERVICE

Date	Principal	Estimated Coupon	Interest	Total P+I
12/01/2016	3,375,000.00	0.750%	235,215.63	3,610,215.63
06/01/2017			222,559.38	222,559.38
12/01/2017	3,400,000.00	0.850%	222,559.38	3,622,559.38
06/01/2018			208,109.38	208,109.38
12/01/2018	3,430,000.00	0.950%	208,109.38	3,638,109.38
06/01/2019			191,816.88	191,816.88
12/01/2019	3,465,000.00	1.100%	191,816.88	3,656,816.88
06/01/2020			172,759.38	172,759.38
12/01/2020	3,500,000.00	1.200%	172,759.38	3,672,759.38
06/01/2021			151,759.38	151,759.38
12/01/2021	3,545,000.00	1.350%	151,759.38	3,696,759.38
06/01/2022			127,830.63	127,830.63
12/01/2022	3,595,000.00	1.475%	127,830.63	3,722,830.63
06/01/2023			101,317.50	101,317.50
12/01/2023	3,650,000.00	1.600%	101,317.50	3,751,317.50
06/01/2024			72,117.50	72,117.50
12/01/2024	3,710,000.00	1.850%	72,117.50	3,782,117.50
06/01/2025			37,800.00	37,800.00
12/01/2025	3,780,000.00	2.000%	37,800.00	3,817,800.00
	35,450,000.00		2,807,355.69	38,257,355.69

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF ENGAGEMENT LETTER OF BOND COUNSEL

LETTERHEAD OF BASS, BERRY & SIMS PLC

May 5, 2016

City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee  
111 West Vine Street  
Murfreesboro, Tennessee 37130

Attention: Shane McFarland, Mayor

**Re: Issuance of Not to Exceed \$35,450,000 in Aggregate Principal Amount  
of General Obligation Refunding Bonds**

Dear Mayor:

The purpose of this engagement letter is to set forth certain matters concerning the services we will perform as bond counsel to City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee (the "Municipality"), in connection with the issuance of the above-referenced bonds in one or more series (collectively, the "Bonds"). We understand that the Bonds are being issued for the purpose of providing funds necessary to refinance certain outstanding obligations of the Municipality, and to pay costs of issuance of the Bonds, as more fully set forth in the Resolution. We further understand that the Bonds will be sold by competitive sale.

**SCOPE OF ENGAGEMENT**

In this engagement, we expect to perform the following duties:

1. Subject to the completion of proceedings to our satisfaction, render our legal opinion (the "Bond Opinion") regarding the validity and binding effect of the Bonds, the source of payment and security for the Bonds, and the excludability of interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes.
2. Prepare and review documents necessary or appropriate for the authorization, issuance and delivery of the Bonds, coordinate the authorization and execution of such documents, and review enabling legislation.
3. Assist the Municipality in seeking from other governmental authorities such approvals, permissions and exemptions as we determine are necessary or appropriate in connection with the authorization, issuance, and delivery of the Bonds, except that we will not be responsible for any required blue-sky filings.
4. Review legal issues relating to the structure of the Bond issue.
5. Draft those sections of the official statement to be disseminated in connection with the sale of the Bonds, describing the Bond Opinion, the terms of and security for the Bonds, and the treatment of the Bonds and interest thereon under state and federal tax law.

6. Assist the Municipality in presenting information to bond rating organizations and providers of credit enhancement relating to legal issues affecting the issuance of the Bonds, if requested.
7. Prepare and review the notice of sale pertaining to the competitive sale of the Bonds.

Our Bond Opinion will be addressed to the Municipality and will be delivered by us on the date the Bonds are exchanged for their purchase price (the "Closing").

The Bond Opinion will be based on facts and law existing as of its date. In rendering our Bond Opinion, we will rely upon the certified proceedings and other certifications of public officials and other persons furnished to us without undertaking to verify the same by independent investigation, and we will assume continuing compliance by the Municipality with applicable laws relating to the Bonds. During the source of this engagement, we will rely on you to provide us with complete and timely information on all developments pertaining to any aspect of the Bonds and their security. We understand that you will direct members of your staff and other employees of the Municipality to cooperate with us in this regard.

Our duties in this engagement are limited to those expressly set forth above. Among other things, our duties do not include:

- a. Except as described in paragraph (5) above,
  - 1) Assisting in the preparation or review of an official statement or any other disclosure document with respect to the Bonds, or
  - 2) Performing an independent investigation to determine the accuracy, completeness or sufficiency of any such document, or
  - 3) Rendering advice that the official statement or other disclosure documents
    - a) Do not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or
    - b) Do not omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements contained therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, misleading.
- b. Preparing requests for tax rulings from the Internal Revenue Service, or no action letters from the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- c. Preparing blue sky or investment surveys with respect to the Bonds.
- d. Drafting state constitutional or legislative amendments.
- e. Pursuing test cases or other litigation (such as contested validation proceedings).
- f. Making an investment or expressing any view as to the creditworthiness of the Municipality or the Bonds.
- g. Assisting in the preparation of, or opining on, any continuing disclosure undertaking pertaining to the Bonds or any other outstanding debt or, after Closing, providing advice concerning any

actions necessary to assure compliance with any continuing disclosure undertaking.

- h. Representing the Municipality in Internal Revenue Service examinations or inquiries, or Securities and Exchange Commission investigations.
- i. After Closing, providing continuing advice to the Municipality or any other party concerning any actions necessary to assure that interest paid on the Bonds will continue to be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes (e.g., our engagement does not include rebate calculations for the Bonds).
- j. Addressing any other matter not specifically set forth above that is not required to render our Bond Opinion.

### **ATTORNEY-CLIENT RELATIONSHIP**

Upon execution of this engagement letter, the Municipality will be our client and attorney-client relationship will exist between us. We assume that all other parties will retain such counsel as they deem necessary and appropriate to represent their interests in this transaction. We further assume that all other parties understand that in this transaction we represent only the Municipality, we are not counsel to any other party, and we are not acting as an intermediary among the parties. Our services as bond counsel are limited to those contracted for in this letter, the Municipality's execution of this engagement letter will constitute an acknowledgment of those limitations. Our representation of the Municipality will not affect, however, our responsibility to render an objective Bond Opinion. Please note that, in our representation of the Municipality, we will not act as a "municipal advisor", as such term is defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Our representation of the Municipality and the attorney-client relationship created by this engagement letter will be concluded upon issuance of the Bonds. Nevertheless, subsequent to Closing, we will mail the appropriate Internal Revenue Service Forms 8038-G, and prepare and distribute to the participants in the transaction a transcript of the proceedings pertaining to the Bonds.

As you are aware, our firm represents many political subdivisions, companies and individuals. It is possible that, during the time that we are representing the Municipality, one or more of our present or future clients will have transactions with the Municipality. It is also possible that we may be asked to represent, in an unrelated matter, one or more of the entities involved in the issuance of the Bonds. We do not believe such representation will adversely affect our ability to represent you as provided in this letter, either because such matters will be sufficiently different from the issuance of the Bonds so as to make such representations not adverse to our representation of you, or because the potential for such adversity is remote or minor and outweighed by the consideration that it is unlikely that advice given to the other client will be relevant to any aspect of the issuance of the Bonds. Execution of this letter will signify the Municipality's consent to our representation of others consistent with the circumstances described in this paragraph.

### **FEES**

Based upon: (i) our current understanding of the terms, structure, size and schedule of the financing represented by the Bonds; (ii) the duties we will undertake pursuant to this engagement letter; (iii) the time we anticipate devoting to the financings; and (iv) the responsibilities we will assume in connection therewith, we estimate that our fee will be \$38,500 for the Bonds. Our fees may vary: (a) if the principal amount of Bonds actually issued differs significantly from the amounts stated above; (b) if material changes in the structure or schedule of the respective financings occur; or (c) if unusual or unforeseen circumstances arise which require a significant increase in our time or responsibility. If, at any time, we believe that circumstances require an adjustment of our



original fee estimates, we will advise you and prepare and provide to you an amendment to this engagement letter. The fees quoted above will include all out-of-pocket expenses advanced for your benefit, such as travel costs, photocopying, deliveries, long distance telephone charges, telecopies charges, filing fees, computer-assisted research and other expenses.

If, for any reason, the financing represented by the Bonds is completed without the delivery of our Bond Opinion as bond counsel or our services are otherwise terminated, we will expect to be compensated at our normal rates for the time actually spent on your behalf plus client charges as described above unless we have failed to meet our responsibilities under this engagement, but in no event will our fees exceed the amount set forth above.

**RECORDS**

At your request, papers and property furnished by you will be returned promptly upon receipt of payment for outstanding fees and client charges. All goods, documents, records, and other work product and property produced during the performance of this engagement are deemed to be Municipality's property. We agree to maintain documentation for all charges against the Municipality. Our books, records, and documents, insofar as they relate to work performed or money received under this engagement, shall be maintained for a period of three (3) full years from the respective Closings and will be subject to audit, at any reasonable time and upon reasonable notice by the Municipality or its duly appointed representatives.

**OTHER MATTERS**

We have not retained any persons to solicit or secure this engagement from the Municipality upon an agreement or understanding for a contingent commission, percentage, or brokerage fee. We have not offered any employee of the Municipality a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with this engagement and no employee has requested or agreed to accept a gratuity or offer of employment in connection with this engagement.

Any modification or amendment to this Engagement Letter must be in writing, executed by us and contain the signatures of the Municipality. The validity, construction and effect of this Engagement Letter and any and all extensions and/or modifications thereof shall be governed by the laws of the State of Tennessee. To the extent permitted by Municipality law, any action between the parties arising from this Engagement Letter shall be maintained in the state or federal courts of Davidson County, Tennessee.

**CONCLUSION**

If the foregoing terms are acceptable to you, please so indicate by returning the enclosed copy of this engagement letter dated and signed by an authorized officer, retaining the original for your files. We look forward to working with you.

**CITY OF MURFREESBORO,  
TENNESSEE:**

**BASS, BERRY & SIMS PLC:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
M. Shane McFarland, Mayor

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Karen Neal, Member